

The Library is open only for Front Door Pickup service. We remain closed for browsing at this time.

## FRONT DOOR PICKUP

Tues-Thurs  
10 am - 4 pm

And starting Oct. 17:  
Saturday  
10 am - 1 pm

Call 512.767.6620 or send an email to [library@beecavetexas.gov](mailto:library@beecavetexas.gov) to renew your card or ask questions about your account.

We apologize for the inconvenience, and look forward to seeing you again in person when conditions allow.

See the October **CALENDAR** for details on virtual programs.

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## SURVEY NOTES FROM THE LIBRARY DIRECTOR



Thank you to those who took our recent survey about programs and services during the pandemic. More than 270 of you responded with suggestions, comments, and questions that will help guide us as we continue to strike a balance between service and safety. You might be surprised at the many steps it takes to operate safely under current conditions, from the amount of space required to quarantine returned materials for multiple days and allow for social distancing of staff working on curbside pickup, to the challenges of reshelving hundreds of books a day without our wonderful volunteers. Thanks for your patience as we develop new protocols to expand our current services in a manner that's safe for staff and patrons alike!

**You asked for more "curbside" options:** I am happy to announce that we are expanding our Front Door Pickup service later this month to include Saturdays. **Beginning October 17, we will have Front Door Pickup on Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.** for those of you unable to make it during the week.

## More of your survey questions answered:

*Why do I get overdue notices for books I've already returned?*

We are following guidelines for quarantining library materials, so they don't get checked in right away. Don't worry, though, we aren't charging any fines for late materials!

*Why do materials show up on my account before I've picked them up?*

When an item you placed on hold becomes available, we check it out to your account right away so that you don't have to wait when you come to pick it up. We've extended the checkout period to account for this.

*I need help searching the catalog to put items on hold for pickup!*

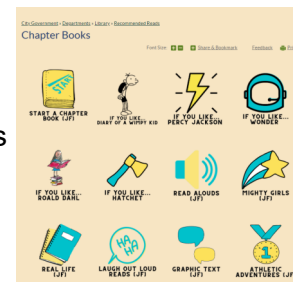
We've added tutorials to the new [eResources pages](#) on our website [HERE](#) to help you navigate our catalog and other resources. You can also email our new online reference service at [AskALibrarian@beecavetexas.gov](mailto:AskALibrarian@beecavetexas.gov), or call us at 512.767.6620 and ask for a reference librarian.

We miss seeing all of you - please feel free to email me with any questions or concerns at [bhathaway@beecavetexas.gov](mailto:bhathaway@beecavetexas.gov). Stay safe, and happy reading!

~ Barbara Hathaway, Library Director

## NEW: Recommended Reads

If you are looking for something new for a young reader, check out the book lists on our "Recommended Reads" pages on the website [HERE](#). You'll find genre and "read-alike" lists with links directly to our catalog where you can place a hold if you see a title or series that interests you! Or email us your questions at [AskALibrarian@beecavetexas.gov](mailto:AskALibrarian@beecavetexas.gov).



**Bee Cave Book Club Outdoor Meeting****Thursday, October 8 6:30 p.m.\***

Join us for our first ever outdoor book club! We'll be discussing *My Sister, The Serial Killer* by Oyinkan Braithwaite at the tables out in front of the library. We'll be socially distancing and wearing masks and we are very excited to be hosting this program.

\*Please note the updated time for this program! We'll meet up from 6:30pm to 7:30pm to make sure we have enough light.\*

In the event of inclement weather that evening, we will meet on Zoom. Details for that can be found [HERE](#). We'll see you there!

The Bee Cave Book Club is an informal and diverse group that usually meets every 2nd Thursday to discuss the group-selected fiction or nonfiction [titles](#). The selection for November is *The Library Book* by Susan Orlean. Copies are available at the library in a variety of formats. Check out the list of selections for 2021 [HERE](#).

**October 8****November 12****BCPL LIVE VIRTUAL EVENTS COMING SOON TO YOUR SCREENS!**

Click on each of the links below to register on our website. No Zoom account is needed. You will receive an email reminder the day of the event - just click on the link in the email to logon.

❁ BCPL LIVE VIRTUAL EVENTS ❁  
**MUSCLE + MINDFUL  
YOGA RESET**

WITH LIZZIE BROOKS



**OCTOBER 14 • 1:00-2:00 PM**


REGISTER TO ATTEND THIS VIRTUAL PROGRAM ON OUR WEBSITE  
AND A LINK WILL BE EMAILED TO YOU.  
NO ZOOM ACCOUNT NEEDED!

**Muscle & Mindful Yoga Reset with Lizzie Brooks****Wednesday, October 14****1:00 - 2:00 p.m.**

Join us for a live Zoom yoga practice with writer and yoga teacher Lizzie Brooks. Reset your mind while working your muscles during a seriously good yoga practice that isn't *too* serious. Best for teens and adults but all ages welcome.

❁ BCPL LIVE VIRTUAL EVENTS ❁  
THE LBJ LIBRARY PRESENTS

**THE 1964  
PRESIDENTIAL  
ELECTION**



**OCTOBER 27 • 2:00-3:00 PM**

REGISTER TO ATTEND THIS VIRTUAL PROGRAM ON OUR WEBSITE  
AND A LINK WILL BE EMAILED TO YOU.  
NO ZOOM ACCOUNT NEEDED!

**The LBJ Library Presents: The 1964 Presidential Election****Tuesday, October 27****2:00 - 3:00 p.m.**

Whether you are looking to enrich your at-home learners' curriculum or get geared up for election day, we welcome you to join the LBJ Presidential Library for a live, interactive session on Zoom. Using artifacts from the archive to learn about the 1964 presidential election, participants can compare the campaign strategies of the 1960s to modern presidential elections. All ages welcome!

❁ BCPL LIVE VIRTUAL EVENTS ❁  
**BOLLYWOOD DANCING**

WITH PRAYRANA

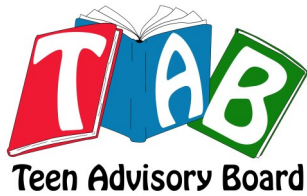


**NOVEMBER 5 • 1:00-2:00 PM**

REGISTER TO ATTEND THIS VIRTUAL PROGRAM ON OUR WEBSITE  
AND A LINK WILL BE EMAILED TO YOU.  
NO ZOOM ACCOUNT NEEDED!

**Virtual Bollywood Dance Workshop****Thursday, November 5****1:00 - 2:00 p.m.**

Join us on Zoom for an hour of Indian-style dance movement blended with disco and modern jazz! Burn off some mid-week energy while learning Bollywood dance moves set to some of the most cinematic music. All ages welcome!



### Teen Advisory Board (virtual meeting)

**Saturday, October 3 2 p.m.**

Join us for our virtual Teen Advisory Board Meeting. Come boss the library around - on Zoom! Welcome to all teens grades 7-12. Zoom details [HERE](#).

### PROGRAMS FOR TWEENS



### Bee-Tweens Ninja Warrior Course

**Starts Sunday, October 4**

Bee-Tweens is sponsoring our first Ninja Warrior Obstacle Course!

Come see how you do with these challenges painted on the sidewalk beside the Galleria's Central Plaza: Crab Walk—Tiptoe Past the Troll—Frog Jump

Outdoor fun for the whole family!

We'd love to see your videos! Send them to [library@beecavetexas.gov](mailto:library@beecavetexas.gov).

### PROGRAMS FOR CHILDREN & CAREGIVERS

#### **A NOTE FROM MS. MELISS:**

Hello, BCPL families,

We hope everyone is well. We sure miss seeing you at the library! And here we are entering Autumn 2020. Are you ready for some practical and positive parenting advice?



**Ms. Melissa**



**Claire Flynn**

This fall, the library will host some virtual and recorded events. One of those will be a conversation with Claire Flynn, innovator of parent education for over 40 years and founder of [For Kids' Sake](#), a parent education and consultation group. You may have met Claire if you attended one of our **1\*2\*3 PlaySmart** workshops.

We want to include YOUR questions in that conversation. What would you like to ask Claire? For example, *Are you wondering how to safely approach fall celebrations and traditions in the age of quarantining? Are there specific behaviors in your child that you need some help with?*

Please email me at [MBurke@beecavetexas.gov](mailto:MBurke@beecavetexas.gov) with questions for Claire by October 5th. Watch our calendar and social media for details soon about how you can hear those answers and more.

We think you won't want to miss Claire's engaging ideas and learn how they tie directly to your child's development! Happy trails and happy books to you!

~ Melissa Burke, Youth Services Specialist

#### **BEE CAVE KIDS CAN ROCK THE VOTE!**

Voting is an important democratic process and we want your whole family to be involved! Our **Bee Cave Ballot** will run for the entire course of early voting, October 13 - 30, and Election Day itself, of course. Keep an eye on our social media feeds for some campaign videos our TAB Teens are working on to help our younger patrons decide on the ballot choices...for instance, between **Paddington Bear** or **Curious George** for president.

Ballot boxes will be available in the Atrium of City Hall and on our Front Door Pickup table October 13 - 30 and on November 3rd. Rock the vote!





### Megan's Five Techie Tips for [OverDrive](#)

1. Make sure your WiFi is on and you are connected to a network before you start trying to download. You'd be amazed how often you think you are automatically logged on when you aren't.
2. If you are using a Kindle and have more than one device, make sure you select the correct device to send your eBook to. Also make sure that the Amazon account you are using is the one connected to your Kindle.
3. When using Libby, try using the preference option at the top of the screen. You can set your preferences for age levels, device compatibility, and even select "available now" so you only see items that are currently available for check out.
4. If you suddenly find yourself unable to access your account, your library card may have expired. Call us and we'll renew it for another year. Other common problems might include a change in your library PIN or having too many checkouts. If you have 20 physical items checked out, you will be unable to check out OverDrive items. Think of OverDrive as one item that counts towards your check out limit.
5. When the app seems to be really acting up or quitting unexpectedly, sometimes it really is as simple as turning the device on and off again or uninstalling then reinstalling the app.

Still having problems? Contact me by emailing [mfischer@beecavetexas.gov](mailto:mfischer@beecavetexas.gov). I will do everything I can to get you up and running with OverDrive. I can't reset your Amazon passwords or fix a broken screen, but I can probably find the answers you need to download all the latest eBooks and eAudiobooks.

~ Megan Fischer, Technical Services Librarian and Digital Specialist

## SOCIAL MEDIA

To highlight the new online resource [tutorials](#) on our website, we turned to one of our favorite classroom movies, *The Dead Poet's Society*. "[TexShare Society](#)," now showing on our social media feeds, tells the story of a stressed out parent finding homework help in the library's digital resources and learning how to "seize the database!"



*Librarian Gretchen in  
Seize the Database*



## COMMUNITY NEWS

### Bee Cave Arts & Culture Master Plan



Do you live, work, or visit Bee Cave? Voice your opinion and invest in our community by filling out this short [survey](#) from the [Bee Cave Arts Foundation](#)!

They want to hear your thoughts and ideas about community cultural projects and events that would bring residents together while providing meaningful experiences for all. Data collected from this survey will offer findings and recommendations which will provide a strategic direction for planning and implementation of a full range of creative opportunities. From that information an Arts & Culture Master Plan will be developed and a guide to promote the Cultural Arts Resources in Bee Cave for our community and visitors.